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USSR REFORTED USING PRISONERS OF WAR FOR BLOICGICAL WARFARE EXPERIMENTS

It is reported arom Vienna that a former German prisoner of war who had received a life sentence at hard labor miraculously escaped from a Soviet "death camp" with information of Soviet experiments in biological warfare. The former prisoner of war reported that this spring, the Soviets remodeled prisoner-of-war camps No 7772 and 7773 in the Bryansk forest for the purpose of conducting biological warfare experiments. Subjects of the experiments are Eungarian, Polish, German, Austrian, and Rumanian prisoners who have received sentences of life at hard labor. Recently, political prisoners have also arrived at the camp and are being used in the experiments. The number of prisoners at each camp is maintained at approximately 2,000, new subjects being added at the same rate as death occur.

Directors of the experimental sites are Soviet bacteriologists, assisted by scientists of other nationalities who are, however, also considered prisoners and whose accommodations are but slightly better than those of the subjects of the experiments. Prisoners are isolated in barracks according to the diseases with which they have been inoculated.

Rocket-launching installations are also located at the camps, and experiments are being conducted with explosive rocket missiles carrying influenza virus and the causative agents of more common diseases.

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